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TOWN OFFICERS

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TOWN OF CANTERBURY

Comprising Those of the

**SELECTMEN, TREASURER, TOWN CLERK, TAX
COLLECTOR, OVERSEER OF POOR, ROAD AGENT,
LIBRARY TRUSTEES, TRUSTEES OF TRUST
FUNDS, PLANNING BOARD AND
SCHOOL BOARD**

FOR THE

Year Ended December 31, 1958

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

CARL A. THUNBERG ARTHUR G. BROWN
OLIVER R. FIFIELD
Clerk of the Board — SHIRLEY DOUBLEDAY

Town Clerk

SABIN N. GUERTIN

Town Treasurer

RICHARD A. DICKSON

Tax Collector

JOHN C. MALCOLM

Road Agent

PHILIP K. STONE

Auditors

ROBERT COLBY ARTHUR MUDGE

Health Officer

RICHARD A. DICKSON

Fire Warden

COLIN HEATH

Librarian

REBECCA FOWLER

Overseer of the Poor

ROLAND O. FIFIELD

School Board

LUCILLE KEELER THOMAS RUDKIN
RICHARD STEVENS

State Representative

AUSTIN R. TURNER

Library Trustees

SABIN N. GUERTIN MARY MUDGE
EUNICE WILKINS

Trustees of Trust Funds

RAYMOND GLINES CATHERINE DICKSON
ALBERT VOGEL

Moderator

CARL A. THUNBERG

Supervisors of Checklist

LUCILLE KEELER MARGERY J. RUGGLES
MADELEINE GUERTIN

Fire Department

Chief, RALPH KEELER, JR.
First Deputy, ROBERT LEE
Sec.-Treas., ANDREW FOWLER

Police Officers

WILLIAM J. COCHRANE HERBERT N. LAMPREY

Budget Committee

RAYMOND GLINES	ROBERT LEE
SARGENT GOODHUE	HAMDEN C. MOODY
SABIN N. GUERTIN	GEORGE D. PEVERLY
LUCIEN HILDRETH	ALEXANDER STANDISH

Planning Board

CARL A. THUNBERG,	ALEXANDER STANDISH
Chairman	AUSTIN TURNER
SABIN W. GUERTIN	ROBERT COLBY
DAVID CURTIS	ARTHUR MUDGE

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Canterbury in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Canterbury on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon (Polls open from 10:00 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. at least), to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Meet at seven of the clock in the evening to act on the rest of the articles in the warrant.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, lease or otherwise transfer, at public sale, real property acquired by the Town by Tax Collector's deed.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Road Agent instead of having one elected, to take effect at the time of the 1960 March Town Meeting.

6. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to sell the observation post building to the highest bidder.

7. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Zoning and Building Ordinance and General Regulations now in effect. (By Petition).

8. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the amendments to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board and appended with this Report.

9. To see if the Town will vote to accept, at no cost to the Town, for the Canterbury Unit of Civil Defense, a truck to be used as a rescue unit in the Canterbury Civil Defense organization under the jurisdiction of the Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department, and upon granting this request to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) to insure said truck and cover any liabilities which may occur. This money to be raised in the name of the Canterbury Civil Defense appropriation. (By Petition).

10. To see if the Town will vote to change the terms of office of the two Town Auditors from concurrent one year terms to staggered two year terms, with one Auditor elected in March 1960 to serve a one year term, the other Auditor elected in March 1960 and all subsequently elected Auditors to serve a two year term.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

CARL A. THUNBERG
ARTHUR G. BROWN
OLIVER R. FIFIELD
Selectmen of Canterbury

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

CARL A. THUNBERG
ARTHUR G. BROWN
OLIVER R. FIFIELD
Selectmen of Canterbury

CLERK'S REPORT OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF MARCH 11, 1958

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, Carl A. Thunberg, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Then followed the reading of the warrants and posting of the check-list. The next order of business was to work on Article I.

Article I The election of officers for the ensuing year. It was voted to keep the polls open until seven p. m.

At that time the polls were declared closed and the Budget was read. It was voted to take the items of the budget one by one and accept the budget as amended. Voted to consider items of the budget under Article V which read as follows: To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Article II To see if the town will vote to trade the Adams grader for an Austin-Western grader. Accepted as read.

Article III To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to use the \$5,000 of insurance money received in settlement of the claim on the Walters Sno Fighter and the \$1,000 of capital reserve for new equipment established at the last town meeting, toward payment for the Austin-Western grader. Accepted.

Article IV To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000 toward the cost of the Austin-Western grader and authorize the Selectmen to issue notes in the name of the Town for \$7,000 to finance purchase of same. It was voted in the affirm-

ative. The maturity notes will be \$1,000 per year. Voted by more than two-thirds majority. Yes vote, 96.

- Article V As noted above considering the Budget. Items changed or added are as follows. Added \$100 lighting for school grounds; interest on long term notes changed from \$121.50 to \$331.50, raising budget at this stage to \$27,240.93. Warrant articles as follows: Bridge repairs for Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge, \$500; Planning Board, \$100; Blister Rust Control, \$400, making total budget of \$28,240.93. Budget accepted as amended.
- Article VI To see if the Town will give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Accepted.
- Article VII To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell, lease, or otherwise transfer at public auction or sale real property acquired by Tax Collector deed. Selectmen were asked why more of the property acquired by the Town had not been sold. Selectmen replied that said property was being appraised, and bounds established before taking action on sale of same.
- Article VIII To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400.00 for Blister Rust Control. As this was deemed a compulsory item it was approved as read.
- Article IX To see if the Town will vote to put an addition on the Town Garage to be paid for out of the income from the Sam Lake Fund. It was voted to give the Selectmen

authority to negotiate this matter with the Trustee of the said Sam Lake Fund up to \$10,000.00 and was accepted under these conditions.

- Article X To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for general expenses of the Planning Board. Accepted as read.
- Article XI To see if the Town will vote to approve the construction of an addition to the Fire House when and as funds are available from sources other than tax revenue. Accepted as read.
- Article XII To see if the Town will vote to approve the transfer of those subscribers of the N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Service situated in the Town of Canterbury who now come within the Belmont exchange, to the Canterbury exchange, in so far as it is compatible with the majority of the subscribers who would be affected by such transfer. Accepted by unanimous vote.
- Article XIII To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting. At this time it was voted to return to Article V. Under Article V the condition of the Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge was discussed and it was voted to make temporary repairs to insure safe travel over same, and it was voted to raise and appropriate \$500 for same.

Returning to Article I as the counting of ballots was completed, the Moderator announced the results which were as follows:

Selectman for 3 Years	Oliver Fifield
Town Clerk	Sabin N. Guertin
Treasurer	Richard A. Dickson
Tax Collector	John C. Malcolm
Road Agent	Philip K. Stone
Auditors	Albert Vogel
	Arthur Mudge
	Robert Colby

There being a tie vote for auditor between Arthur Mudge and Robert Colby, the chairman cast one ballot to break same, the vote being for Robert Colby. He was declared elected as the second Auditor.

Library Trustee, 3 Years Barbara Comee
Library Trustee, 1 Year Everett Tasker

At this time the newly elected officers were sworn into office. Meeting voted to adjourn at this time as the business of the meeting was finished. Time of adjournment 10:15 p. m.

A true copy to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SABIN N. GUERTIN,
Clerk.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

	Actual Revenue Year 1958	Esti- mated Revenue Year 1959	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,635.94	\$1,600.00	....	\$35.94
Railroad Tax .....	....	35.00	35.00	....
Savings Bank Tax	85.88	80.00	....	5.88
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal Lands	25.48	25.00	....	.48
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Dog Licenses	332.50	300.00	....	32.50
Filing Fees	11.00	....	....	11.00
Interest on Taxes	332.01	200.00	....	132.01
Rent of Town Buildings ..	485.00	....	....	485.00
Shakers' Gift	500.00	500.00	....	....
Sam Lake Trust Income ..	700.00	1,300.00	600.00	....
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Fund	1,000.00	....	....	1,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,618.32	3,300.00	....	318.26
Cash Surplus	1,441.32	....	....	1,441.32
Poll Taxes	570.00	570.00	....	....
Yield Taxes	820.34	400.00	....	420.34
Property Taxes — Town ...	21,492.50	23,663.01	2,170.51	....
	<u>\$33,050.23</u>	<u>\$31,973.01</u>	<u>\$2,805.51</u>	<u>\$3,882.73</u>

CANTERBURY, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Purpose of Expenditure	Actual Expenditure Yr. 1958	Estimated Expenditure Yr. 1959	Increase	Decrease
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries . . .	\$1,385.00	\$1,400.00	\$15.00	....
Town Officers' Expense . . .	917.28	1,000.00	82.72	....
Town Planning Board . . .	15.00	100.00	85.00	....
Election and Registration . .	207.80	100.00	....	\$107.80
Town Clerk's Fees	280.60	300.00	19.40	....
Tax Collector's Fees	62.00	75.00	13.00	....
Exp. Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	657.80	600.00	....	57.80
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	111.00	50.00	....	61.00
Fire Department	2,035.60	1,470.00	....	565.60
Forest Fires	53.50	100.00	46.50	....
Insurance	985.58	1,320.00	334.42	....
Civil Defense	40.10	100.00	59.90	....
Health:				
Hospital Appropriation . . .	300.00	350.00*	50.00	....
Vital Statistics	14.50	15.00	.50	....
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Dump	82.50	300.00	217.50	....
Canterbury-Bosc. Bridge . .	1,734.42	....	....	1,734.42
Bridge Repairs and Culverts .	200.25	700.00	499.75	....
Twn. Rd. Mtee.—Summer . .	3,349.24	4,000.00	650.76	....
Twn. Rd. Mtee.—Winter . .	4,516.71	4,000.00	....	516.71
Highway General Expense . .	3,924.09	3,300.00	....	624.09
Town Road Aid	814.17	810.28	....	3.89
Street Lighting	122.57	150.00	27.43	....
Elkins Public Library	635.75	650.00	14.25	....
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	244.72	600.00	355.28	....
Old Age Assistance	1,263.02	1,500.00	236.98	....
Patriotic Purposes:				
Mem. and Old Home Days . .	60.00	35.00	....	25.00
Cemeteries	264.00	400.00	136.00	....
Unclassified:				
Blister Rust Control	400.00	300.00	....	100.00
Dog Costs and Damage . . .	22.56	50.00	27.44	....
Social Security	226.24	250.00	23.76	....
Merrimack Valley Regional Assn.	70.00	....	....	70.00
Interest:				
Temporary Loans	138.19	150.00	11.81	....
Long Term Notes	204.00	244.50	40.50	....
Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town (Garage Addition)	19.25	117.00	97.75	....
New Equipment:				
Truck Trade Reserve	2,250.00	1,000.00	....	1,250.00
Payment on Principal of Debts:				
Grader Notes	2,200.00	2,200.00	....	....
Fire House Note	700.00	....	....	700.00
Town Garage Addition . . .	....	1,300.00	1,300.00	....
County Tax	2,936.23	2,936.23	....	....
	<u>\$33,443.67</u>	<u>\$31,973.01</u>	<u>\$4,345.65</u>	<u>\$5,816.31</u>

* To be allocated on a per admission basis between the Concord, Franklin and Laconia Hospitals.

SELECTMEN'S LETTER

We are concerned as administrators of your town business that the 1958 operation shows a deficit. We are in the "red" by the amount of over-expenditure on the Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge. Your balance sheet shows you that Canterbury is financially sound. We are perfectly aware, however, that repeated deficit spending could quickly change this favorable situation. You as citizens and we as Selectmen have a responsibility to avoid spending beyond our means. Your duty is to attend your Town and School District meetings which enact the commitments we live with; our duty is to administer your town business according to your commitments. If your decisions are right decisions and our administration within the spending authority you give, our financing can be kept under control.

After Town Meeting last year we traded our 1956 truck for a new one. Because we needed another truck during the summer we established a rental arrangement so we could keep the 1956 truck at work. Our agreement specified that rental fees could, if we wished, apply against purchase for the amount of the trade-in allowance. Your Road Agent worked the truck out on other towns' road work to earn enough to more than equal these rental payments. In this manner we have accumulated two trucks. We are fully aware that the added expense of maintaining and depreciating another vehicle is significant. The justification lies in more work for the same labor charges and more productive use of our other machinery. It also helps us give faster snow clearance which becomes increasingly important to more people each year.

We repeat our belief that time has changed the requirements for the office of Road Agent. It is no longer a position, it has become a job and a specialized one at

that. Our Highway Department is completely mechanized. Our machinery represents a large capital investment. That investment requires special skills for its conservation but at best is subject to expensive depreciation. Placing the administration of this investment at the vagaries of an election year after year is not in our opinion prudent management. We again introduce an Article in your Warrant, suggesting that this be an appointive job rather than an elected position.

The year of 1959 will be remembered as a year of decisions regarding bridges. We own half the Hannah Dustin bridge and half the Canterbury-Boscawen bridge. One is being replaced by a new bridge and will need to be removed, the other must be replaced because it is worn out, weak and dangerous. You will hear plenty about both of these problems during the coming year.

As so often in the past, we again have reason to remember with gratitude the late Sam Lake whose perpetual trust has done so much for Canterbury. By pledging income from this Trust we were able to add another stall to the Town Garage. This solved two problems. It provided us a space big enough to house the grader with the wing and plow mounted and ready for instant use. It released garage room so we could properly house the school bus in heated quarters.

May we again respectfully remind you that practicing citizenship pays off in Canterbury.

CARL A. THUNBERG
ARTHUR G. BROWN
OLIVER R. FIFIELD

Selectmen of Canterbury

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

Our population like that of many small towns adjacent to a metropolitan area is becoming less stable. A considerable moving of people in and out of town is taking place. This will accelerate as we become more a community of commuters. During the year the Selectmen issued 13 building permits. The year 1958 saw several mobile homes established in Canterbury.

Our zoning ordinance and building code has become firmly established and increases in importance as a protection to those who invest in our town and will share our tax load. Certain proposed amendments to the zoning code come before you at Town Meeting for your consideration. Your Planning Board acts as an auxiliary of your Board of Selectmen. Our chief concern in 1958 was a thorough study of our Zoning Ordinance. That study has resulted in the amendments proposed. We believe their adoption will strengthen the code and correct at least some of the weaknesses of this instrument which time has uncovered.

CARL A. THUNBERG,
Chairman
SABIN W. GUERTIN
ALEXANDER STANDISH
DAVID CURTIS
ROBERT COLBY
AUSTIN TURNER
ARTHUR MUDGE

SUMMARY INVENTORY

Land and Buildings		\$741,800	
Electric Line Properties	(3)	121,700	
Horses	(9)	555	
Cows	(318)	26,720	
Other Neat Stock	(80)	4,445	
Sheep and Goats	(40)	400	
Fowls	(13,675)	9,840	
Portable Mills	(1)	500	
Wood, Lumber, Etc.		2,695	
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	(10)	965	
Boats and Launches	(2)	200	
Stock in Trade	(3)	1,930	
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Total Gross Valuation		\$911,750	
Less Soldiers' Exemptions		52,050	
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Net Valuation			\$859,700
Loss of School Tax			
Paying to Other Towns			\$917.54
Town Tax Rate	\$2.50		
School Tax Rate	3.72		
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Total Tax Rate	\$6.22		
Town Property Tax		\$21,492.50	
Poll Tax		570.00	
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		\$22,062.50	
School Tax		31,063.30	
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Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation			\$53,125.80

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

December 31, 1958

	Approp.	Receipts and Reim- bursements	Total Amount Available	Total Amount Expended	Unexpended Balance	Overdrafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,400.00	.....	\$1,400.00	\$1,385.00	\$15.00	.....
Town Officers' Expense	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	917.28	82.72	.....
Town Planning Board	100.00	.....	100.00	15.00	85.00	.....
Election and Registration	225.00	.....	225.00	207.80	17.20	.....
Town Clerk's Fees	300.00	.....	300.00	280.60	19.40	.....
Tax Collector's Fees	75.00	.....	75.00	62.00	13.00	.....
Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	575.00	.....	575.00	657.80	.....	\$82.80
Town Garage	\$477.47					
Town Hall	143.31					
Sam Lake	37.02					
Police Department	50.00	.....	50.00	111.00	.....	61.00
Fire Department:	1,400.00	\$624.52	2,024.52	2,035.60	.....	11.08
Fixed Chgs.	\$443.77					
New Equip.	1,374.98					
Oper. Exp.	216.85					
Forest Fires	100.00	18.75	118.75	53.50	65.25	.....
Insurance	1,200.00	72.77	1,272.77	985.58	287.19	.....
Civil Defense	25.00	.....	25.00	40.10	.....	15.10
Hospital Appropriation	300.00	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....
Vital Statistics	15.00	.....	15.00	14.50	.50	.....
Highways and Bridges	11,500.00	829.68	12,329.68	13,807.21	.....	1,477.53
Brdg. Rep. & Culv.	\$200.25					
Cant.-Bosc. Brdg.	1,734.42					
Summer Maint.	3,349.24					
Winter Maint.	4,516.71					
Gen. Expense	3,924.09					
Town Dump	82.50					

Town Road Aid	814.17	814.17	814.17	.....	.....	.....
Social Security (2 ¼ %)	225.00	225.00	226.24	.....	.....	1.24
Street Lighting	225.00	225.00	122.57	.....	102.43	.....
Elkins Library	635.75	635.75	635.75	.....	.....	.....
Old Age Assistance	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,263.02	.....	36.98	.....
Town Poor	200.00	200.00	244.72	.....	.....	44.72
Memorial and Old Home Day	60.00	60.00	60.00	.....	.....	.....
Cemetery Care	275.00	275.00	264.00	.....	11.00	.....
Blister Rust Control	400.00	402.40	400.00	2.40	2.40	.....
Dog Costs and Damage	85.00	85.00	22.56	.....	62.44	.....
Merrimack Val. Reg. Assn.	70.00	70.00	70.00	.....	.....	.....
Int. on Long Term Notes	331.50	331.50	204.00	.....	127.50	.....
Int. on Temporary Loans	150.00	150.00	138.19	.....	11.81	.....
Int. on Prin. of Trust Funds						
Used by Town	10.00	10.00	19.25	.....	.....	9.25
New Equip. — Truck Trade	750.00	750.00*	2,250.00	.....	.....	750.00
Long Term Notes — Grader	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00	.....	.....	.....
Lg. Term Notes — Fire House	700.00	700.00	700.00	.....	.....	.....
County Tax	2,936.23	2,936.23	2,936.23	.....	.....	.....
	<u>\$29,632.65</u>	<u>\$2,298.12</u>	<u>\$31,930.77</u>	<u>\$33,443.67</u>	<u>\$939.82</u>	<u>\$2,452.72</u>
Less Balance						<u>939.82</u>
Actual Over-drafts of 1958 Appropriations						\$1,512.90

* Raised in 1937.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF BUDGET REVENUE

<u>Budget Items</u>	<u>Expected</u>	<u>Received</u>
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,635.94	\$1,635.94
Railroad Tax	35.00	41.24*
Savings Bank Tax	125.00	85.88
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands	25.00	25.48
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	700.00	2,194.94**
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,300.00	3,618.26
Dog Licenses	350.00	332.50
Interest on Taxes	200.00	332.01
Rent of Town Buildings	.....	485.00
Shakers' Gift	500.00	500.00
Filing Fees	.....	11.00
Sam Lake Trust Income	700.00	700.00
Sale of Tax Deeded Property
Cash Surplus	500.00	1,441.32
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	\$8,070.94	\$11,403.57
Less Overlay	508.08	
Net Budget Revenue	<hr/>	
	\$7,562.86	
Total Appropriations	\$60,688.66	
Less Revenue	\$7,562.86	
Less Poll Taxes	570.00	
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	8,132.86	
Property Tax Assessed	<hr/>	
	\$52,555.80	
Town Tax	\$21,492.50	
School Tax	31,063.30	
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	\$52,555.80	
Tax Rate	\$6.22	

* 1957 Railroad Tax — 1958 Not Received.

** 1956 Yield Tax Collected \$100.00.

1957 Yield Tax Collected \$1,702.06.

1958 Yield Tax Collected \$392.88.

(\$820.34 Total 1958 Yield Taxes Assessed).

STATEMENT OF BUDGETARY AND NON-BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES

For Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1958

	<u>Appropriated</u>	<u>Expended</u>
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,400.00	\$1,385.00
Town Officers' Expense	1,000.00	917.28
Town Planning Board	100.00	15.00
Election and Registration	225.00	207.80
Town Clerk's Fees	300.00	280.60
Tax Collector's Fees	75.00	62.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings:	575.00	657.80
Town Garage	\$477.47	
Town Hall	143.31	
Sam Lake	37.02	
Police Department	50.00	111.00
Fire Department:	1,400.00	2,035.60
Fixed Charges	\$443.77	
New Equip.	1,374.98	
Operating Exp.	216.85	
Forest Fires	100.00	53.50
Insurance	1,200.00	985.58
Civil Defense	25.00	40.10
Hospital Appropriation	300.00	300.00
Vital Statistics	15.00	14.50
Highways and Bridges:	11,500.00	13,807.21
Brdg. Rep. and Culv.	\$200.25	
Cant.-Bosc. Brdg.	1,734.42	
Summer Maint.	3,349.24	
Winter Maint.	4,516.71	
Gen. Expense	3,924.09	
Town Dump	82.50	
Town Road Aid	814.17	814.17

Social Security (2¼ %)	225.00	226.24
Street Lighting	225.00	122.57
Elkins Library	635.75	635.75
Old Age Assistance	1,300.00	1,263.02
Town Poor	200.00	244.72
Memorial and Old Home Days	60.00	60.00
Cemetery Care	275.00	264.00
Blister Rust Control	400.00	400.00
Dog Damage	85.00	22.56
Merrimack Valley Regional Assoc.	70.00	70.00
Interest on Long Term Notes	331.50	204.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	150.00	138.19
Interest on Prin. of Trust Funds		
Used by Town	10.00	19.25
New Equipment, Truck		
Trade Reserve	750.00	1,500.00
Long Term Notes — Grader	2,200.00	2,200.00
Long Term Notes — Fire House	700.00	700.00
County Tax:	2,936.23	2,936.23
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Town Totals	\$29,632.65	\$32,693.67
School Totals	31,063.30	37,524.87
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	\$60,695.95	\$70,218.54

Non-Budgetary Expenditures:

Expended from Sam Lake Funds

Town Garage Addition	\$4,490.24
Town Garage Roof Re-coating	115.00
Painting House	70.36
New Chimney	159.85
Water Filter	249.00
Truck Rental	1,162.00
Balance of Town Truck from 1957 Reserve	750.00
Class V Roads	2,004.26
T.R.A. Payrolls	480.44
Austin-Western Grader Purchase	
and Rental	13,000.00

Head Taxes Collected	1,650.00
Tax Anticipation Loan	10,000.00
Taxes Bought by Town	1,378.61
Tax Refund	26.40
Yield Tax Bonds Due Collector	59.36
Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	365.82
Canterbury Highway Department, Revolving Fund	300.00
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Total Non-Budgetary Expenditures	\$36,261.34
Total Budgetary Expenditures	70,218.54
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Selectmen's Orders Paid in 1958	\$106,479.88

**BALANCE SHEET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDED DEC. 31, 1958**

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$26,677.73	
Cash in hands of Road Agent	900.00	
Accounts Due to the Town:		
Railroad Tax	35.00	
Miscellaneous Accounts		
Receivable	315.50	
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1957	439.95	
Levy of 1956	57.16	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1958	12,549.04	
Total Assets		<u>\$40,974.38</u>

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by Town:	
Timber Tax Bonds	
Due Collector	\$245.27
Richard P. Smart Agency,	
Insurance Due	76.31
Unexpended Balances of	
Special Appropriations:	
Sam Lake Trust Fund	1,102.88
Due to State:	
1958 State Head Taxes	
Uncollected	550.00
Yield Tax — Bond and Debt	
Retirement	105.94
Due to School District:	
Balance of Appropriation	24,056.01

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Concord National Bank, Austin-Western Grader	5,500.00	
Concord National Bank, Adams Grader	4,800.00	
Trust Fund Amounts Used by Town: Town Garage Addition	3,900.00	
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Total Liabilities		\$40,336.41
Excess of Assets Over Liabilities		637.97
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		<u>\$40,974.38</u>

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$10,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	300.00	
Library, land and building	8,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00	
Fire Department, building	3,500.00	
Equipment	6,000.00	
Highway Department, land and building	18,000.00	
Equipment	35,000.00	
Material and Supplies	250.00	
Schools, land and buildings (old)	2,000.00	
School, new building and land	80,000.00	
Equipment	2,900.00	
Sam Lake Residence, land and buildings	5,000.00	
Town Dump, land and improvements	225.00	
Blacksmith Lot	100.00	
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		\$173,775.00

Land acquired through tax deeds:

Louis Kelso	\$250.00	
Elmer Twombly	100.00	
Dod Wheeler	900.00	
Ida Chase	750.00	
William Dearborn	250.00	
Sylvia Glines	100.00	
Bertha Wheeler	50.00	
Enola Colby Estate	60.00	
John R. Savage	50.00	
Mrs. C. L. Sanborn	50.00	
Arthur Rolfe Heirs	200.00	
G. Edward Stone	50.00	
Carroll S. Colby	160.00	
Mrs. James Richards	30.00	
Nellie Stearns	150.00	
A. F. and B. W. Thompson	50.00	
John Giddings	50.00	
	<hr/>	3,250.00
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		\$177,025.00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Debits

Auto Permits Collected	\$3,618.26	
Dog Licenses Collected	332.50	
Filing Fees Collected	11.00	
Bicycle Licenses Collected	13.25	
	<hr/>	\$3,975.01

Credits

Remitted to Treasurer:		
Auto Permits	\$3,618.26	
Dog Licenses	332.50	
Filing Fees	11.00	
Bicycle Licenses	13.25	
	<hr/>	\$3,975.01
Fees Paid to Sabin N. Guertin,		
Town Clerk		
Dog Licenses	\$26.60	
Vital Statistics	14.50	
Auto Permits	254.00	
	<hr/>	\$295.10

SABIN N. GUERTIN,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**SUMMARY OF WARRANT****Property, Poll and Yield Taxes****Levy of 1958**

Debits	
Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$52,555.80
Poll Taxes	570.00
Total Warrant	<u>\$53,125.80</u>
Yield Taxes	820.34
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	1,464.81
Poll Taxes	4.00
Interest Collected:	
Property Taxes	2.35
Poll Taxes	.10
Yield Taxes	.02
Total Debits	<u>\$55,417.42</u>

Credits	
Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$42,605.48
Poll Taxes	398.00
Yield Taxes	392.88
Interest Collected	2.47
Abatements:	
Property Taxes	15.55
Poll Taxes	4.00
Uncollected Taxes as per	
Collector's Lists:	
Property Taxes	\$11,399.58
Poll Taxes	172.00
Yield Taxes	427.46
Total Credits	<u>\$55,417.42</u>

Levy of 1957

Debits

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1958:

Property Taxes	\$11,578.75	
Poll Taxes	182.00	
Yield Taxes	1,702.06	
	<hr/>	\$13,462.81

Added Taxes During 1958:

Property Taxes	\$42.90	
Poll Taxes	12.00	
	<hr/>	54.90

Interest Collected During Fiscal
Year Ended Dec. 31, 1958:

Property Taxes	\$289.35	
Poll Taxes	3.57	
Yield Taxes	1.70	
	<hr/>	294.62

Costs and Fees Collected		63.40
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Total Debits		<hr/> \$13,875.73
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Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During
Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1958:

Property Taxes	\$11,545.75	
Poll Taxes	182.00	
Yield Taxes	1,702.06	
Interest, Costs and Fees	358.02	
	<hr/>	\$13,787.83

Abatements made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$75.90	
Poll Taxes	12.00	
	<hr/>	87.90

Total Credits		<hr/> \$13,875.73
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STATE HEAD TAX**Levy of 1958**

Debits

State Head Taxes Committed
to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$1,760.00	
Added Taxes	10.00	
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Total Commitment		\$1,770.00
Penalties Collected		5.50
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Total Debits		\$1,775.50

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$1,210.00	
Penalties	5.50	
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		\$1,215.50
Abatements		10.00
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List		550.00
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Total Credits		\$1,775.00

Levy of 1957

Debits

Uncollected Taxes as of

Jan. 1, 1958	\$575.00
Added Taxes During 1958	35.00
Penalties Collected During 1958	58.50
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Total Debits \$668.50

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer

During 1958

Head Taxes \$585.00

Penalties 58.50

\$643.50

Abatements During 1958

25.00

Total Credits

\$668.50

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1956

Debits

Uncollected Taxes as of

Jan. 1, 1958:

Yield Taxes \$308.23

Total Debits

\$308.23

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During

Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1958

Yield Taxes \$100.00

Uncollected Taxes as per

Collector's List

Yield Taxes 208.23

Total Credits

\$308.23

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES**as of Dec. 31, 1958**

DEBITS

	1957	1956	1955
Taxes Sold to Town During			
Current Fiscal Year	\$1,378.61		
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes			
as of Jan. 1, 1958		\$345.62	\$114.03
Interest Collected After Sale	14.46	27.20	16.33
Redemption Costs	17.20	9.26	6.93
Total Debits	<u>\$1,410.27</u>	<u>\$382.08</u>	<u>\$137.29</u>

CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer	\$970.32	\$324.92	\$137.29
Unredeemed Taxes as of			
Dec. 31, 1958	439.95	57.16	
(See Collector's List)			
Total Credits	<u>\$1,410.27</u>	<u>\$382.08</u>	<u>\$137.29</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT

Richard A. Dickson, Treasurer

Receipts

Treasurer of U. S. — Civil Defense	\$624.52
State of New Hampshire:	
Right of Way	25.00
Reimbursement a/c State and	
Federal Lands	25.48
Grader and Truck Hire	1,435.70
Road Toll Refund	178.62
T.R.A. Payroll Reimbursement	480.44
Blister Rust Refund	2.40
Class V	2,004.26
Interest and Dividends Tax	1,635.94
Forest Fire Refund	18.75
Head Tax Refund	11.04
Savings Bank Tax	204.23
Railroad Tax	41.24
Town of Boscawen, Grader Hire	64.00
John C. Malcolm, Tax Collector	60,578.19
From Local Sources Except Taxes:	
Auto Permit Tax	3,618.26
Dog Tax	332.50
Filing Fees	11.00
Bicycle Permits	13.25
Cemetery Lots	25.00
Revolver Permits	3.50
Building Permits	30.00
Driveway Snow Removal (1957)	40.00
Canterbury Shakers' Gift in Lieu of Taxes	500.00
United Community Church, Water Rent	6.00
Rent of Town Hall	5.00
Richard Rollins, Rent of Sam Lake House	480.00

Trustees of Trust Funds, Special Reserve Acct.	1,017.50
Canterbury School District, Uplands School	1.00
Concord National Bank, Tax Anticipation Loan	10,000.00
Concord National Bank, Town Garage Addition	3,900.00
Elkins Library, Social Security	16.92
Jackman and Lang, Dividend	28.99
Mfgs. and Merchants Mutual, Loss on Tractor	51.96
Mfgs. and Merchants Mutual, Loss on Walters	5,000.00
Concord National Bank, Grader Loan	5,500.00
Marcoux Brothers, Timber Tax Bond	100.00
Donald Braley, Timber Tax Bond	65.00
Malcolm Wilkins, Sand	4.00
James Guertin, Trucking	15.00
Ruth Wilson, Sand	6.80
John Sanborn, Culvert Purchase	36.20
John Sanborn, Gravel	40.00
Raymond Fife, Tar and Gravel	34.20
Joseph Maier, Tar and Gravel	42.23
Ruth Goodhue, Tar and Gravel	20.90
Hamden Moody, Tar and Gravel	31.80
Concord Savings Bank, Interest on Savings	87.78
William Hubbard, Tar and Gravel	42.23
Jackman and Lang, Audit Return Premium	43.98
Concord National Bank, Sam Lake Trust	1,000.00
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Total Receipts	\$99,480.81
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1958	33,676.80
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Total Receipts, Dec. 31, 1958	\$133,157.61
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	106,479.88
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Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1958	\$26,677.73

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,385.00
Town Officers' Expense	917.28
Town Planning Board	15.00
Election and Registration	207.80
Town Clerk's Fees	280.60
Tax Collector's Fees	62.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	657.80
Police Department	111.00
Fire Department	2,035.60
Forest Fires	53.50
Insurance	985.58
Civil Defense	40.10
Hospital Appropriation	300.00
Vital Statistics	14.50
Town Dump	82.50
Bridge Repairs and Culverts	200.25
Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge	1,734.42
Summer Maintenance	3,349.24
Winter Maintenance	4,516.71
General Highway Expense	3,924.09
Town Road Aid	814.17
Town Road Aid Payroll	480.44
Street Lighting	122.57
Elkins Library	635.75
Town Poor	244.72
Old Age Assistance	1,263.02
Memorial and Old Home Day Associations	60.00
Cemetery Care	264.00
Blister Rust Control	400.00
Dog Costs and Damage	22.56
Social Security	226.24
Merrimack Valley Regional Association	70.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	138.19
Interest on Long Term Notes	204.00
Interest on Principal of Trust Funds	19.25

Truck Rental	1,162.00
Grader Notes	2,200.00
Fire House Note	700.00
County Tax	2,936.23
State of N. H., 2% of Yield Tax Collected	365.82
Class V Roads	2,004.26
Canterbury School District	37,524.87
State Head Taxes Collected	1,650.00
Yield Tax Bonds Due Collector	59.36
Town Garage Addition	4,490.24
New Chimney, Sam Lake House	159.85
Recoating Town Garage Roof	115.00
Labor and Supplies, Painting Sam Lake House	70.36
Water Filter, Sam Lake House	249.00
Taxes Bought by Town	1,378.61
Tax Anticipation Loan	10,000.00
Austin-Western Grader Purchase and Rental	13,000.00
Tax Refund	26.40
Canterbury Highway Dept., Revolving Fund	300.00
New Equipment, Truck Purchase	2,250.00
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Selectmen's Orders Paid in 1958	\$106,479.88

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS**Town Officers' Salaries**

Carl A. Thunberg, Selectman	\$150.00	
Arthur G. Brown, Selectman	150.00	
Oliver R. Fifield, Selectman	150.00	
Richard A. Dickson, Treasurer	150.00	
Sabin N. Guertin, Town Clerk	85.00	
John C. Malcolm, Tax Collector	300.00	
Shirley F. Doubleday, Clerk of the Board	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,385.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Association of New Hampshire Assessors, Dues	\$3.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, Inc., Office Supplies	9.04
Hubbard's Country Store, Supplies and Postage	44.14
N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co., Telephone Service	64.69
Mechanicks National Bank, Rent of Deposit Box	8.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Office Supplies	29.05
Kathleen Roy, Recording Deeds and Mortgages	38.53
N. H. Municipal Association, Annual Dues	30.00
Allied Engraving Corp., Cut for Town Report	6.39
Hazen Printing Co., Printing Town Reports and Stationery	446.50

State of New Hampshire,		
Administration Costs	1.00	
Leila Y. Bartlett, List Three Estates	.30	
R. P. Smart Agency, Town		
Officers' Bonds	90.10	
N. H. City and Town Clerks'		
Association, Annual Dues	3.00	
Wheeler and Clark, Selectmen's Stamp	3.80	
J. F. W. Dorman Co., Bicycle Plates	20.71	
John C. Malcolm, Office Supplies		
and Expense	51.20	
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association,		
Dues	3.00	
State of New Hampshire,		
Tax Publication	1.00	
Sulloway, Hollis, Godfrey and Soden,		
Re-drafting Truck Lease	10.00	
Kathleen M. Crowley, Recording Deed	.25	
Sabin N. Guertin, Town Clerk,		
Auto Guide and Expenses	15.23	
Sargent Brothers, Printing Tax Bills	38.35	
	<hr/>	\$917.28

Town Planning Board

N. H. Planning and Zoning Associa-		
tion, Membership	\$5.00	
Treasurer, University of New Hamp-		
shire, Extension Course for Arthur		
Mudge	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$15.00

Election and Registration

Hazen Printing Co., Printing		
Ballots	\$14.00	
Rebecca Fowler, Ballot Clerk	19.20	
Everett H. Tasker, Ballot Clerk	6.40	

Eunice Wilkins, Ballot Clerk	12.80	
Thomas A. Rudkin, Ballot Clerk	6.40	
Lucille Keeler, Ballot Clerk	12.80	
Margery J. Ruggles, Supervisor of Checklist	45.00	
Madeleine Guertin, Supervisor of Checklist	45.00	
June Robinson, Supervisor of Checklist	45.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., Tally Sheets	1.20	
	<hr/>	\$207.80

Town Clerk's Fees

Sabin N. Guertin, Fees	\$280.60
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Tax Collector's Fees

John C. Malcolm, Fees	\$62.00
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Town Hall and Other Buildings

Robie's Wiring Service, Wiring Town Garage	\$93.57
Prescott Oil Co., Fuel Oil	304.79
Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	119.92
Earl K. Chandler, Cleaning and Repairing Furnace	10.00
Keeler's Machine Shop, Thawing and Plumbing	5.00
French's Radio Shop, Batteries for Emergency Lights	7.10
W. Howard Bernard, Tune Piano and Repair	10.00
N. H. Bituminous Company, Asphalt	83.88
Sabin N. Guertin, Mowing Common	3.00

Hubbard's Country Store,		
Broom, Paint and Supplies	10.19	
Herbert Lamprey, Janitor Service	9.00	
Eisenhaur's Hardware Co.,		
Clamp and Couplings	1.35	
	<hr/>	\$657.80

Police Department

William J. Cochrane, Duty	\$108.00	
Herbert Lamprey, Duty	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$111.00

Fire Department

Fixed Charges:

Prescott Oil Co., Fuel Oil	\$129.69	
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.,		
Telephone Service	233.02	
Concord Electric Co.,		
Electric Service	81.06	
	<hr/>	\$443.77

New Equipment:

Henry Mallek, Siren and		
Shipping Charge	\$380.00*	
Keeler's Machine Shop,		
Installing Siren	549.05*	
Treasurer, State of N. H.,		
Indian Pumps	26.00	
Sanel Auto Parts,		
Two Batteries	40.42	
C. E. Wilbur Co., Supplies	4.27	
Henry Mallek, Hose	237.95	
N. H. Distributing Agency,		
Balance of Account	130.00	
Evans Radio, New Equipment	7.29	
	<hr/>	\$1,374.98

*This account is credited by \$624.52 Reimbursement on Siren.

Operating Expense:

Sanel Auto Parts, Amalie, Bar and Points, Lights, Wire and Starter Button	\$47.85	
Henry Mallek, Gauge and Chargers	28.34	
Earl K. Chandler, Cleaning and Nozzle	12.00	
Socony-Mobil Oil Co., Gas and Oil	37.92	
Welcome's Esso Station, Spark Plugs, Wiper Blades	8.90	
Bow Electric Supply, Lamps and Batteries	32.39	
James Lilly, Paint Brush	2.30	
Merrill and Cote, Supplies	1.41	
Page Belting Co., Paint	6.86	
Monitor-Patriot, Advertising Service	6.48	
Spear's Garage, Repairs	27.40	
Leo Lessard, Plugs and Points	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$216.85

Forest Fires

Town of Boscawen, Hildreth Fire	\$27.50	
State of New Hampshire, Two Indian Pumps	26.00	
	<hr/>	\$53.50

Insurance

Richard P. Smart Agency, Insurance Workmen's Compensation; Town Buildings, (Fire, E. C., and Liabil- ity); Highway and Fire Department Equipment Floaters (Fire, E. C., and Liability); Firemen's Accident Policy		\$985.58
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Civil Defense

Concord Electric Co.,		
Electric Service	\$24.60	
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co.,		
Telephone Service	3.00	
American Emblem & Textile Co.,		
Arm Bands	3.70	
Charles Smith, Postage and		
Supplies	1.63	
Treasurer, State of N. H.,		
License Plates	7.17	
	<hr/>	\$40.10

Hospital Appropriation

Laconia Hospital	\$31.62	
Concord Hospital	226.24	
Franklin Hospital	42.14	
	<hr/>	\$300.00

Vital Statistics

Sabin N. Guertin	\$14.50
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Highways
 (See Report)

Town Dump Maintenance	\$82.50	
Bridge Repairs and Culverts	200.25	
Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge	1,734.42	
Class V Roads	2,004.26	
Summer Highway Maintenance	3,349.24	
Winter Highway Maintenance	4,516.71	
General Expense Highway		
Department	3,924.09	
	<hr/>	\$15,811.47

Town Road Aid

State of N. H., 1958 Appropriation	\$814.17	
Canterbury Highway Dept., Reimbursement of Payroll Advance	480.44*	
	<hr/>	\$1,294.61

Truck Rental

Spears Garage, 13 Months Rental	\$1,162.00
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Cemetery Care

Greenlands Corporation, Repair of Mower	\$39.75	
Orvis Fife, Labor	62.50	
Harry Lamprey, Labor	15.00	
Harrison Sargent, Labor	62.50	
Donald Stone, Labor	9.00	
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	75.25	
	<hr/>	\$264.00

Street Lighting

Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	\$122.57
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Library

Elkins Public Library, 1958 Appropriation	\$635.75
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Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire, Town Share	\$1,263.02
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*This amount reimbursed by State of New Hampshire.

Town Poor

State of New Hampshire,		
Care of Arthur Pickard	\$49.00	
Hubbard's Country Store, Groceries	15.72	
King's Daughters Home, Care		
of Stanley Pickard	180.00	
	<hr/>	\$244.72

Social Security

State of New Hampshire, Town's	
Share of 1958 Payrolls (2¼ %)	\$226.24

Memorial and Old Home Day

Penacook Post No. 31, Memorial	
Day Appropriation	\$35.00
Old Home Day Association,	
1958 Appropriation	25.00
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	\$60.00

Associations

Merrimack Valley Regional Associa-	
tion, 1958 Appropriation	\$70.00

Blister Rust Control

Wm. H. Messeck, State Forester,	
Appropriation	\$400.00*
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	\$400.00

Dog Costs and Damage

Wheeler and Clark,	
Dog Tags and Notices	\$15.06
Hazen Printing Company,	
Dog Notice Letters	7.50
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	\$22.56

*This amount credited by \$2.40 Refund.

Interest on Temporary Loans

Concord National Bank, Tax Anticipation Loan	\$138.19
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Interest on Long Term Notes

Concord National Bank, Grader Notes	\$204.00
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Interest on Principal of Trust Fund

Concord National Bank, Fire House Note	\$19.25
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Notes Payable

Concord National Bank, Grader Note	\$1,200.00	
Concord National Bank, Fire House Note	700.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,900.00

Temporary Loan

Concord National Bank, Tax Anticipation Loan	\$10,000.00
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New Equipment — Truck Trade Reserve

Spear's Garage — 1958 International Truck and Body	\$2,250.00
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New Equipment — Austin Western Grader

Scott Machinery Co., Purchase	\$12,500.00	
Scott Machinery Co., Rental Jan. to March 1958	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,000.00

County Tax

Donald G. Rainie, Appropriation	\$2,936.23
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State Head Taxes

State of New Hampshire, Balance of 1957 Head Taxes	\$625.50	
State of New Hampshire, Partial 1958 Head Taxes	1,024.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,650.00

Yield Tax Bonds Owed

John C. Malcolm, Tax Collector, Donald Braley	\$59.36
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Taxes Bought by Town

John C. Malcolm, Tax Collector, 1958 Tax Sale	\$1,378.61
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Tax Refunds

Refund of 1957 Taxes	\$26.40
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School Appropriation

John C. Malcolm, Treasurer, 1957 Appropriation	\$30,524.87	
John C. Malcolm, Treasurer, 1958 Appropriation	7,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$37,524.87

Highway Revolving Fund

Canterbury Highway Dept., Payroll Account	\$300.00
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2% Bond and Debt Retirement Tax

Taxes Due State of New Hampshire	\$365.82
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Expended from Lake Trust Fund

James Guertin, Town Garage Addition	\$4,490.24	
James Guertin, New Chimney	159.85	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Water Filter	249.00	
Rodd Roofing Co., Re-coating Town Garage Roof	115.00	
Arthur G. Brown, Painting Lake House	36.00	
Hubbard's Country Store, Paint	21.63	
Eisenhaur's Hardware, Paint and Brushes	12.73	
	<hr/>	\$5,084.45
Total Selectmen's Orders Paid in 1958		<hr/> \$106,479.88

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Revenue — 1958

Summer Highway Maintenance	}	Appropriation \$11,000.00
Winter Highway Maintenance		
Town Dump Maintenance		
Bridge Repairs and Culverts		
General Expense Highway Dept.		
Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge,		
Appropriation		500.00
Class V Roads		2,004.26
Driveway Plowing (1957)		40.00
Tar, Gravel, Sand,		
Truck Service		237.16
John Sanborn, Purchase of Culverts		36.20
State of New Hampshire,		
Road Toll Refund		178.62
Grader Rental		259.00
Transferred from Truck		
Rental Receipts		78.70*
Over-expended Highway Accounts		1,477.53
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Total Receipts		\$15,811.47

Costs — 1958

Town Dump Maintenance	\$82.50
Bridge Repairs and Culverts	200.25
Canterbury — Boscawen Bridge	
Repairs	1,734.42
Summer Maintenance	3,349.24
Winter Maintenance	4,516.71
General Expense Highway	
Department	3,924.09
Class V Roads	2,004.26
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	\$15,811.47

* See detailed Statement of Highway Costs for Explanation.

DETAIL OF COSTS

Summer Highway Maintenance

Orvis Fife, Labor	\$777.75	
Richard Fowler, Labor	24.00	
Harrison S. Sargent, Labor	721.50	
Donald Stone, Labor	83.00	
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	10.00	
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	1,176.25	
Tilton Construction Co., Compressor and Operator	25.00	
Arthur Austin, Gravel	99.50	
N. H. Bituminous Products, Road Oil	432.24	
	<hr/>	\$3,349.24

Winter Highway Maintenance

Orvis Fife, Labor	\$571.25	
Richard Fowler, Labor	4.00	
Harrison S. Sargent, Labor	1,137.75	
Leroy Sargent, Labor	6.25	
William Sargent, Labor	3.00	
Donald Stone, Labor	47.00	
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	483.75	
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	1,562.25	
Martin Heflin, Gravel	71.40	
Tilton Sand and Gravel, Mix	19.31	
Ralph Keeler, Refund Driveway Plowing	10.00	
Wilson's Dairy Farm, Plowing	50.00	
Winslow Feed Co., Salt	384.00	
Arthur Austin, Gravel	83.50	
John Morrill, Gravel	74.25	
Everett Kimball, Gravel	9.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,516.71

Class V Roads

Orvis Fife, Labor	\$129.75	
Harrison S. Sargent, Labor	142.50	
Donald Stone, Labor	4.00	
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	238.00	
N. H. Bituminous Products, Road Oil	1,490.01	
	<hr/>	\$2,004.26

Bridge Repairs and Culverts

William Nelson, Plowing Bridge	\$25.00	
Prison Industries, Culvert Pipe	55.80	
R. C. Hazelton Co., Culvert Pipe	117.20	
Herbert Lamprey, Bolts	2.25	
	<hr/>	\$200.25

Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge

Orvis Fife, Labor	\$142.50	
Harrison Sargent, Labor	141.25	
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	246.75	
Karl C. Moore, Bridge Planks	292.69	
Tom Corson, Welding	45.50	
Lyons Iron Works, Steel "I" Beams	597.00	
Upton and Whitcomb, Hemlock Planks	228.48	
Public Works and Highways, Spikes	40.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,734.42

Town Dump Maintenance

Anton B. Nelson, Bulldozing Dump	\$52.50	
Stuart Fifield, Bulldozing Dump	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$82.50

General Expense Highway Department

Edward Cohen, Steel Plates	\$8.45
N. H. Exp. & Machinery Co., Inc., Switch and Packing	8.30
Spear's Garage, Truck Check-ups and Repairs	336.77
Hubbard's Country Store, Supplies	28.55
Scott Machinery Co., Chains, Filters, Moldboard Bits, Belt	183.94
R. C. Hazelton Co., Plow Parts, Parts and Labor, Walters	397.40
Socony-Mobil Oil Co., Gas and Oil	1,375.30
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	64.67
Sanel Auto Parts, Repair Parts, Amalie, Leaf Glass, Battery, Zerex	381.89
Prescott Oil Co., Diesel Fuel	57.37
Penn Hampshire Oil Co., Oil	6.39
Central N. H. Tractor Co., Repair Tractor	108.16
Page Belting Co., Parts, Angle Iron	26.04
Keeler's Machine Shop, Welding and Cutting	64.75
Waite Corporation. Tires	159.10
Harrison Sargent, Reimbursement Gas Purchase	3.40
Eastern States Farmers' Exchange, Implement Enamel	1.74
Joseph Spain, Lettering New Interna- tional Truck	7.00
C. F. Cressy, Filters	3.75
Sears, Roebuck and Co., Tires	76.35
Shepard Auto Supply, Lock Gear	2.45
Eisenhaur's Hardware, Sledge Hammer Handle and Supplies	37.44
Greenlands Corporation, Springs	1.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Welded Wire	21.05

Davis Auto Body, Welding	27.50	
Merrimack Auto Trim Co., Repairs Truck	23.50	
International Harvester Co., Bracket and Bolts	4.08	
N. H. Services, Inc., One-half Payment Good Roads Plow	475.00	
Rice's Inc., Tires	32.25	
	<hr/>	\$3,924.09
Total Expenditures, Highway Department		\$15,811.47

1956 International Truck Rental

Receipts:

State of New Hampshire, Rent of Truck	\$1,240.70
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Payments:

Spear's Garage, 13 Months Rental	1,162.00
Balance	<hr/> * \$78.70

Detail of Highway Labor

Orvis Fife	\$1,621.25	
Richard Fowler	28.00	
Harrison S. Sargent	2,143.00	
Leroy Sargent	6.25	
William Sargent	3.00	
Donald Stone	134.00	
Philip K. Stone, Jr.	493.75	
Philip K. Stone, Sr.	3,223.25	
	<hr/>	\$7,652.50
Allocated as follows:		
Canterbury-Boscawen Bridge	\$530.50	
Class V Roads	514.25	
Summer Highway Maintenance	2,792.50	
Winter Highway Maintenance	3,815.25	
	<hr/>	\$7,652.50

* This balance has been transferred to Highway Department accounts.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY, DEC. 31, 1958

Fund No.	Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			Bal. End Year
					Balance Beginning Year	Gains or (Losses) on Securities	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Amount of Interest	Expended During Year	
1A	1873	Benjamin Whidden	Cong. Church	N. H. Sav. Bank	\$200.00	.....	\$200.00	.....	\$7.03	\$7.03	.....
2A	1897	J. S. Elkins	Cong. Church	N. H. Sav. Bank	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	35.15	35.15	.....
3A	1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Library Repair	N. H. Sav. Bank	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	17.50	17.50	.....
4A	1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Book Fund	N. H. Sav. Bank	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00	.....	70.00	70.00	.....
5A	1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Sick & Worthy Poor	N. H. Sav. Bank	6,800.00	.....	6,800.00	\$717.41	263.55	59.19	\$921.77
6A	1955	John Kezer	Canterb'y Sch. Dist.	N. H. Sav. Bank	1,643.71	.....	1,643.71	.....	58.74	.....	.....
				Northern Railroad	18 Shares	.....	18 Shares	307.84	108.00	468.29	6.29
7A	1957	Town of Canterbury	Capital Reserve	N. H. Sav. Bank	*1,000.00	.....	.....	.....	17.50	17.50	.....
					\$15,643.71	\$1,000.00	\$14,643.71	\$1,025.25	\$577.47	\$674.66	\$928.06

* Withdrawn 1958 by Order of Selectmen.
Rate of Interest — N. H. Savings Bank, 3 1/2 %.

PERPETUAL CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Name of Lot	How Invested	PRINCIPAL		INCOME			Bal. End Year
				Balance Beginning Year	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Amount of Interest	Expended During Year	
1908	Betsy Kimball	Ham	N. H. Savings Bank	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$83.94	\$10.05	\$8.05	\$85.94
1908	P. C. Clough	T. Clough	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.20	1.76	.88	1.08
1909	M. B. Neal	Neal	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	41.50	5.01	3.02	43.49
1911	Emily Clough	A. Clough	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	149.78	12.42	9.25	152.95
1912	F. E. & C. M. Tallant	Tallant	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	20.37	2.46	1.23	21.60
1915	Judith Dearborn	Chase	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	11.87	2.17	1.09	12.95
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Elkins	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	116.17	11.23	8.66	118.74
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Sargent	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	180.97	13.51	9.80	184.68
1921	Henry L. Clough	Tallant	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	14.38	2.26	1.13	15.51
1921	Henry L. Clough	D. M. Clough	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	7.07	2.02	1.01	8.08
1924	Joseph S. Morrill	J. S. Morrill	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	72.15	6.11	4.07	74.19
1926	Walter Small	Small	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	49.34	5.27	3.14	51.47
1926	Alvah Dearborn	A. J. Dearborn	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.06	1.76	.88	.94
1927	Samuel Boyce	Boyce-Swasey	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	.94	2.54	1.89	2.62
1930	Helen Paxton	Ingalls	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	15.51	2.30	1.15	16.66
1931	Christiania Clough	J. F. Clough	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	64.00	9.35	6.69	66.66
1934	Caroline B. Emery	Nathan Emery	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	19.24	4.20	2.60	20.84
1934	George Wainwright	J. G. Lake	N. H. Savings Bank	300.00	300.00	72.63	13.17	9.60	76.20
1936	Orrin Randall	Randall	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	4.09	1.90	.95	5.04
1939	John Morrill	J. S. Morrill	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	20.45	4.24	2.62	21.07
1940	Adeline Dow	F. P. Dow	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	24.78	4.40	2.21	26.97
1941	C. J. Jones-C. J. Morrill	L. C. Jones	N. H. Savings Bank	75.00	75.00	1.76	2.70	1.30	3.11

1941	Chas. Elliott Morrill	C. E. Morrill	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	99	1.76	.88	1.87
1941	Sam W. Lake	G. W. Lake	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	18.12	4.16	2.58	19.70
1941	Joseph Clough	Samuel Emery	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	7.25	3.77	1.88	9.14
1942	Joseph Clough	S. M. Clough	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	14.72	4.04	2.53	16.23
1943	Myra Morrill	F. & D. Morrill	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	5.04	1.93	.96	6.01
1943	Charles T. Marsh	C. T. Marsh	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	3.69	1.88	.94	4.63
1943	Charles Chaplain	Chaplain	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	9.68	2.08	1.04	10.72
1944	Sarah Hutchins	Hutchins-Pillsbury	N. H. Savings Bank	250.00	250.00	32.02	10.02	8.02	35.02
1952	Fred Jones	Fred C. Jones	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	6.55	7.27	4.63	9.19
1957	John Driscoll	John W. Driscoll	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	.....	3.81	2.04	1.77
1957	Anna Smart Willis	Wm. & Jas. Smart	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	.....	1.76	.....	1.76
				\$3,625.00	\$3,625.00	\$1,070.26	\$165.77	\$108.20	\$1,127.83

Rate of Interest — N. H. Savings Bank, 3 ½ %.

SAM W. LAKE TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1958	\$1,987.33	
From Concord National Bank, Trustee	1,000.00	
From Concord National Bank, Trustee, Loan for Town Garage Addition	3,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,887.33

Disbursements

Concord National Bank, Fire House Note	\$700.00	
Painting Sam Lake House	70.36	
Town Garage Addition	4,490.24	
Town Garage, Re-coating Old Roof	115.00	
New Chimney, Sam Lake House	159.85	
Water Filter, Sam Lake House	249.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,784.45
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1958		<hr/> \$1,102.88

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Trustees' Report

This year has been an active one at the Library with a circulation increase of $33\frac{1}{3}\%$.

The generous gifts of books are greatly appreciated.

In addition to the regular hours of 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. on Saturday afternoons, the Library has been open from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p. m. on Tuesday evenings for the public and on Tuesday afternoons from 12:00 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.

"Friends of the Library," a group of volunteers organized last year by Mrs. Walter Comee, have been most helpful in acting as librarians for the Tuesday openings and in mending the bindings of 200 books.

The Library building has been used as a meeting place for local organizations and committees and for special exhibits.

Services of the State Library and Bookmobile are continuing.

Because the Librarian has difficulty in having books returned on time, it seems advisable to charge a fine of one cent per day on books overdue which have not been renewed. This policy will be in effect beginning April 1.

Repairs on the building have necessarily been curtailed because of the Valley Trust Bank closing. These will be attended to as soon as possible.

It is a State requirement that trustees of libraries in towns of less than 5,000 population shall meet at least quarterly. Your library trustees are planning to meet once a month to share the problems of library work.

Suggestions for improving or increasing the services of your Library will be most welcome.

SABIN N. GUERTIN,
MARY C. MUDGE,
EUNICE I. WILKINS,

Library Trustees.

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Librarian's Report

Jan. 1, 1958 to Dec. 31, 1958

		Books Added	Circulation
Books Purchased	30		
Books Given	209		
Adult Fiction		98	941
Adult Non-Fiction		102	420
Juvenile Fiction		27	2,082
Juvenile Non-Fiction		12	385
Magazines			241
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Totals	239	239	4,069

Magazines subscribed to:

Saturday Evening Post	McCall's
Ladies' Home Journal	Field and Stream
Redbook	Better Homes and Gardens
New Hampshire Profiles	Boys' Life
Coronet	Mechanix Illustrated
Popular Science*	American Heritage

* Gift.

Respectfully submitted,

REBECCA L. FOWLER,
Librarian.

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Treasurer's Report

Dec. 31, 1958

Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1957	\$362.74
Town of Canterbury, 1958 Approp.	635.75
Howard Chamberlain, Purchase of Discarded Books	24.00
Trust Funds	87.50
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Total Receipts	\$1,109.99

Disbursements

Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	\$38.31
Jackman and Lang, Insurance	73.17
Edson C. Eastman, Library Supplies	11.92
Rebecca Fowler, Librarian's Salary	170.94
Valley Trust Co., Payment Deducted from Account	4.69
Prescott Oil Company, Fuel Oil	105.36
Hubbard's Country Store, Postage and Supplies	3.74
Andrew Fowler, Janitor Service	30.00
C. M. Rice Paper Co., Scotch Tape	5.40
N. H. State Library, Book Lost at School	1.25
Earl K. Chandler, Cleaning and Repairing Furnace	38.00
Rebecca Fowler, Petty Cash	10.00
Curtis Circulation Co., Publication	18.00
Mechanix Illustrated, Publication	5.00
Town of Canterbury, Library's Share of Social Security	8.28

Hazen Printing Co., Printing Library		
Cards	5.50	
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Total Disbursements		529.56
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Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1958		\$580.43*
Breakdown of Dec. 31 Balance:		
Books and Magazines Account	\$97.90	
Repair Account	160.25	
Insurance Account	172.59	
Operating Account, Jan.-March 1959	149.69	
	<hr/>	\$580.43

MARY C. MUDGE,
Treasurer.

* Of this amount, \$391.29 is in the Valley Trust Co. of Penacook.

REPORT OF THE CANTERBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.

The year 1958 has been the best in the history of the Department in respect to fires in our community. During the twelve month period the Department responded to fourteen emergency calls. They consisted of one truck fire (Walters), one child fell in a brook, one child lost, five building fires, one forest fire, two chimney fires, one rubbish heap fire and two out of town calls.

The Walters truck fire and the Worsted Church fire were the only fires causing a loss to the community. In both instances the outcome was total loss.

The Penacook Rescue Unit of Civil Defense gave us valuable aid at the time Rebecca Mudge fell in the brook near her home and also at the Worsted Church fire. Such help certainly shows the value of good neighbors.

Our eight year program for new equipment received a big boost during 1958, thanks to friends of the Department, particularly Civil Defense. We have added during the year, the completion of the installation of our new siren at the fire house, purchased three walkie talkie radios, 200 ft. of hose, a stand-by electric plant, two Indian tanks and some hand tools. These items greatly exceeded our budgeted amount in total value and cost, however, the town's share in this cost did not exceed the amount provided in the budget.

I cannot help but feel that our remarkable record during 1958 was due for the most part, to the people of our community in exercising care in the use of fire and good fire prevention habits. The best that any fire department can do when fire breaks out is to keep it a small one. It is the people of our town that can prevent fires from breaking out in the first place. You have been doing a very commendable job in that respect.

Thank you many times for doing so well. Keep up the good work.

RALPH W. KEELER,
Chief.

YOU CAN HELP PREVENT FOREST FIRES

Twenty-five percent of all forest fires in New Hampshire are caused from careless debris burning — brush, paper, leaves, grass, etc. Most of them are started without the required permit from the local forest fire warden. The cost of extinguishing these fires annually runs into large sums of money.

According to law, responsible parties must pay the cost of putting them out. In addition, violators may be subject to court prosecution with fines running as high as \$200.

If you do burn on your premises:

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden, the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it. Save yourself much possible difficulty.

Number of local fires, 1.

Number of acres burned, 5.

Number of permits issued, 51.

THOMAS J. KING,
District Fire Chief

COLIN HEATH,
Forest Fire Warden

CIVIL DEFENSE

Your Civil Defense now has a new operational plan it is trying to get under way.

We thank those who have already given their time and support and now hope you will give us your support in the future.

CHARLES H. SMITH,
Civil Defense Director

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

We have examined the records of Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Elkins Public Library, Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department and the Selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1958 and have found their accounts correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROBERT COLBY,
ARTHUR MUDGE,
Town Auditors

INSURANCE IN FORCE — BUDGET PLAN

Company	Amount	Property	Expiration Dates
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$10,000	Fire & E. C. Town Hall	Jan. 1, 1961
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$10,000	Fire & E. C. Sel. Off. and Garage	
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$6,000	Fire & E. C. Fire Station	
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$500	Fire & E. C. Civ. Def. Bldg.	
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$5,900	Fire & E. C. Lake House & Bldgs.	Sept. 4, 1959
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$14,000	Library Bldg. & Contents	
National Grange Mutual Lia. Ins. Co.	5/10	Library Liability	
Travelers' Insurance Co.	10/20	Mfg. & Contractor's Liability	
Travelers' Insurance Co.	Schedule	Workmen's Compensation	Nov. 30, 1959
Merchants Mutual	5/10	Liability Town Hall & Lake Bldgs.	Jan. 31, 1959
National Grange Mutual Lia. Co.	25/50/5	Liability, Grader	Jan. 31, 1959
National Grange Mutual Lia. Co.	25/50/5	Liability International Truck	May 2, 1959
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$4,000	Fire — Farmall Tractor and	Jan. 11, 1959
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$10,000	Adams Grader	Nov. 28, 1959
National Grange Mutual Lia. Co.	25/50	Liability Farmall Tractor	Apr. 9, 1959
National Grange Mutual Lia. Co.	20/40/5	Lia. Chev. Forestry Truck	
National Grange Mutual Lia. Co.	20/40/5	Lia. Int. Fire Truck	
Peerless Casualty Company	\$1,000	Fire Dept. Accident Ins.	
Manufacturers & Merchants Mut. Ins. Co.	\$5,000	Fire Dept. Equip. & Property Floater	May 12, 1959
Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	\$3,000	Fire Ins. — Int. Fire Truck	Jan. 1, 1959
Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	\$2,000	Fire Ins. — Chev. Fire Truck	Jan. 27, 1959
Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	\$2,000	Fire Ins. — Int. Dump Truck	
Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	\$20,000	Fire Ins. — Austin Western Grader	
Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co.			

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Officers of the School District

Moderator

CARL A. THUNBERG

Clerk

CHARLES SMITH

Treasurer

JOHN C. MALCOLM

Auditors

MALCOLM L. WILKINS

SABIN W. GUERTIN

School Board

LUCILLE H. KEELER, Chm.

Term expires 1959

THOMAS RUDKIN

Term expires 1960

RICHARD STEVENS

Term expires 1961

School Nurse

KATHLEEN HEWITT

Tilton, N. H.

Tel. Tilton 461

Helping Teacher

ESMA C. FORD

Tel. Tilton 207

Superintendent of Schools

GORDON L. FOX, Tilton, N. H.

Tel. Tilton 207

Regular Meeting, School Board, Third Wednesday of
the month, 7:30 p. m.

SCHOOL WARRANT**The State of New Hampshire**

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the Town of Canterbury qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the seventh day of March 1959, at six o'clock in the afternoon, with the moderator opening the meeting, declaring the polls open for voting from six o'clock to nine o'clock for school district officials and declaring the business section of the meeting at seven-thirty o'clock for action on articles 5-11 inclusive.

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the

state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to accept any equipment and printed materials obtainable under the National Defense Education Act of 1958.

10. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the total sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) to be made available to the district treasurer on or before June 1, 1959 and added to the budget for the 1959-1960 school year; said total sum to represent a deficiency appropriation of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) for district funds impounded in the Valley Trust Company of Penacook, N. H.; and to see if the District will authorize the district treasurer to use such surplus funds as may be available and necessary from the 1958-1959 school budget for district funds impounded in the Valley Trust Company of Penacook, N. H.

11. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Canterbury this thirtieth day of January 1959.

LUCILLE H. KEELER, Chm.,
THOMAS RUDKIN,
RICHARD STEVENS,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrent — Attest:

LUCILLE H. KEELER, Chm.,
THOMAS RUDKIN,
RICHARD STEVENS,
School Board.

REPORT OF THE CANTERBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT BUILDING FUND

for Calendar Year Ending Dec. 31, 1958

Income:

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1958	\$500.26	
Robert P. Burroughs — Con- tribution	750.00	
Freedom Foundation at Valley Forge	100.00	
Check Voided	.92	
Richard J. Mackey — purchase of Carter School	501.50	
James F. Guertin — purchase of Uplands School	450.00	
Total Income		\$2,302.68

Expenditures:

Administrative and Miscel- laneous	\$155.44	
Heating	32.31	
Painting	6.04	
Driveway	290.00	
Doors and Frames	31.30	
Labor	98.48	
Rough Carpentry	1.10	
Chalkboards and Tackboards	93.28	
Canterbury School District for Desks	200.00	
Total Expenditures	\$917.95	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1958	1,384.73	
		\$2,302.68

JOHN C. MALCOLM,
Treasurer.

FINANCIAL REPORT
Canterbury School District

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1958

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1957	\$787.53	
Current Appropriation	33,382.37	
State Aid	18,971.85	
Trust Funds	177.00	
Federal Funds — School Lunch	496.56	
State of New Hampshire —		
Building Aid	600.00	
Misc. Receipts	319.31	
Total Receipts		\$54,734.62

Payments

ADMINISTRATION

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Walter Comee	\$25.00
Sabin W. Guertin	4.00
Lucille H. Keeler	50.00
John Malcolm	50.00
Thomas Rudkin	50.00
Richard Stevens	25.00
Malcolm L. Wilkins	4.00

Total	\$208.00
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2. Superintendent's Salary:
 Treasurer, Supervisory
 Union 341.12
 Total salary of Superintendent
 was \$7,700.00. School Districts
 paid: Tilton-Northfield \$2,-
 206.88, Belmont \$906.88, Can-
 terbury \$341.12, Gilford \$1,-
 219.40, Gilmanton \$525.72,
 State of New Hampshire
 \$2,500.00.

3. Tax for Statewide Supervision:
 Treasurer State of New
 Hampshire 372.00

4. Salaries of Other Administrative
 Personnel:
 Treasurer, Supervisory
 Union \$375.23
 Catherine Dickson, Census 25.00

 Total 400.23

5. Supplies and Expenses:
 A. H. Rice Co., Inc. \$30.99
 Bridge & Byron, Printers 7.50
 Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc. 1.55
 Bureau of Publications 3.42
 Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc. 3.23
 J. L. Hammett Co. 11.40
 Hazen Printing Co. 6.50
 Howell Printing & Duplicating 14.70
 John Kezar Fund 27.00
 John Malcolm, Postage 15.00
 N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. 129.15
 N. H. School Boards
 Association 10.00

Marion Rancour, Ballot Clerk	2.00	
June Robinson, Ballot Clerk	2.00	
Row, Peterson & Co.	4.21	
Science Kit Co.	27.03	
Paul Scripture, Ballot Clerk	2.00	
Everett Tasker, Ballot Clerk	2.00	
Treasurer, Supervisory Union	129.89	
Wilcox & Follett Co.	26.79	
World Book Co.	37.65	
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Total		494.01

INSTRUCTION

6. Principals' and Teachers' Salaries:

	Contract Salary	
Marjorie Bruner	\$3,000.00	
Edith Croteau	3,300.00	
Marion Glidden	3,100.00	
Sarah Hill	3,300.00	
Frances Smith, Principal	3,450.00	
Grace Atwood	8.00	
Jean Malcolm	154.00	
Jacqueline Lavigne	56.00	
Rebecca Fowler	4.00	
Barbara Comee	4.00	
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Total		17,559.87

The amount actually paid may not be the same as the contract price because of sick leave or other reasons. The total amount includes pay of substitutes and supervisory union teachers.

7. Books and Instructional Aids:

Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	\$54.10
Follett Publishing Co.	33.12

Houghton-Mifflin Co.	1.53
Junior Scholastic	35.20
Charles E. Merrill Books	128.57
Charles Scribner's Sons	24.76
Row, Peterson & Co.	100.85
Scott, Foresman & Co.	53.85
Silver Burdette Co.	49.86

Total	<hr/>	481.84
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8. Scholars' Supplies	549.58
9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants	0.00
10. Supplies and Other Expenses	235.18

OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT

11. Salaries of Janitors:

Rebecca Fowler	\$103.92
Richard Rollins	447.87
Citizens National Bank (tax)	36.50
Director, Internal Revenue (tax)	18.90
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	20.95

Total	<hr/>	628.14
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12 Fuel or Heat:

Ferns Oil Co., Inc.	\$.89
H. J. Thompson & Son, Inc.	1,163.21

Total	<hr/>	1,164.10
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13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:

Concord Electric Co.	\$432.41
Concord Hardware Co., Inc.	4.29
Fayette Laboratories	9.71
Ferns Oil Co., Inc.	9.78

Hubbard's Country Store	16.43
Masury-Young Co.	67.35
C. M. Rice Paper Co.	207.19

Total	747.16
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MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

14. Repairs and Replacements:

Adams Glass Co.	\$14.18
Ferns Oil Co., Inc.	10.39
Keeler's Machine Shop	12.50
Benjamin E. Leone	168.00
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.	36.81
C. E. Wilbur & Co., Inc.	9.27

Total	251.15
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AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

15. Health Supervision:

Herrick Drug Co.	\$24.04
F. W. Woolworth Co.	2.32

Total	26.36
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16. Transportation:

Robert Buskey	\$1,035.56
Citizens National Bank (tax)	16.80
Pearl DeRoche	28.00
Director, Internal Revenue (tax)	10.40
Eastern States Farmers Exchange	.95
Lucien Hildreth	505.54
Sarah Hill	283.00
Ralph Keeler	151.52
Richard Mackey	98.48
Monitor Patriot	5.63

William Nelson	7.00	
Sanel Auto Parts	22.45	
Socony Mobil Oil Co.	678.03	
Spear's Garage	2,260.00	
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	45.43	
Welcome's Esso	97.98	
Donald Welcome	457.95	
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Total		5,704.72
17. Tuition:		
Belmont School District	\$600.00	
Concord Union School District	5,400.00	
Franklin School District	330.00	
Pembroke School District	300.00	
Penacook Union School District	8,819.84	
Tilton-Northfield School District	700.28	
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Total		16,150.12
18. Special Activities:		
School Milk Program		496.56
FIXED CHARGES		
19. Retirement:		
N. H. State Dept. of Public Welfare	\$1.00	
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	817.19	
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	332.13	
Treasurer, Supervisory Union	135.56	
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Total		1,285.88

20. Insurance:

Jackman & Lang, Inc.	\$40.00
Morrill & Everett, Inc.	622.94

Total	662.94
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CAPITAL OUTLAY

21. Lands and New Buildings:	0.00
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22. Additions and Improvements:	0.00
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23. New Equipment:

Masury-Young Co.	\$136.61
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co.	151.83
N. H. Distributing Agency	5.00

Total	293.44
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DEBT AND INTEREST

25. Principal:

Concord National Bank	2,000.00
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26. Interest:

Concord National Bank	1,714.93
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Total Payments	\$51,767.33
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Balance on Hand, June 30, 1958	2,967.29
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Grand Total	\$54,734.62
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Respectfully submitted,

LUCILLE H. KEELER, Chm.

THOMAS RUDKIN

RICHARD STEVENS

School Board.

JOHN C. MALCOLM,
School District Treasurer.

Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books of the Canterbury School District of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 and find them correct in all respects.

SABIN W. GUERTIN,
MALCOLM L. WILKINS,
Auditors.

July 24, 1958.

PAYMENTS

	Proposed Budget 1959-60	Budget 1958-59	Payments 1957-58	Expended to Feb., 1959 1958-59 to	Estimated Expenditures June 30, 1959
1. Salaries of District Officers	\$204.00	\$204.00	\$208.00	\$204.00	\$204.00
2. Supt's Salary (local share)	387.03	356.20	341.12	356.20	356.20
3. Tax for Statewide Supervision	380.00	380.00	372.00	380.00	380.00
4. Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel	465.13	442.85	400.23	442.84	442.85
5. Supplies and Expenses	345.40	352.37	492.80	322.31	352.37
6. Teachers' Salaries	18,659.85	18,204.25	17,492.15	10,500.09	18,204.25
7. Books and Other Inst. Aids	600.00	600.00	481.84	548.73	600.00
8. Scholars' Supplies	600.00	600.00	549.58	571.97	600.00
10. Instructional Supplies	150.00	150.00	235.18	131.52	150.00
11. Salaries of Janitors	800.00	700.00	626.89	436.12	700.00
12. Fuel or Heat	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,164.10	495.93	1,200.00
13. Water, Lights, Operational	700.00	625.00	747.16	349.61	650.00
14. Repairs and Replacements	100.00	100.00	251.15	92.02	95.00
15. Health Supervision	20.00	20.00	26.36	3.72	17.00
16. Transportation	7,040.00	7,040.00	5,699.64	3,712.65	7,040.00
17. Tuition	19,035.00	18,715.00	16,150.12	165.00	16,095.00
18. Special Activities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
19. Teachers' Retirement	1,281.95	1,224.76	1,225.29	596.31	1,224.76
20. Ins., Treas. Bond	916.41	774.79	518.06	80.00	774.79
21. Lands and New Buildings	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
22. Additions and Improvements	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23. New Equipment	450.00	450.00	293.44	339.55	450.00
25. Principal	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
26. Interest	1,545.00	1,630.00	1,714.93	1,630.00	1,630.00
Total Expenditures	\$57,879.77	\$56,769.22	\$50,990.04	\$24,358.57	\$54,166.22

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Proposed Budget 1959-60	Budget 1958-59	Receipts 1957-58	Received to Feb. 1959	Estimated Receipts June 30, 1959
Cash on Hand July 1, 1958					
State Aid	\$20,468.55	\$18,971.85	\$787.53	\$2,967.29	\$2,967.29
Building Aid	900.00	19,571.85	19,571.85	20,468.55	20,468.55
District Assessment	35,346.22	35,600.00	496.56	1,200.00	1,200.00
Miscellaneous	1,000.00	35,820.00	33,382.37	7,000.00	31,056.01
Trust Funds	165.00	1,000.00	1,581.63	293.32	1,000.00
		377.37	177.00	318.29	377.37
	<u>\$57,879.77</u>	<u>\$56,769.22</u>	<u>\$55,996.94</u>	<u>\$32,247.45</u>	<u>\$57,069.22</u>

CANTERBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETINGMarch 8, 1958

323 Ballots

52 Ballots cast

346 Qualified Voters

Meeting opened at 6:00 p. m. by Moderator, Carl Thunberg, reading the Warrant.

Business meeting started at 7:35 p. m.

Article 5—Accepted as read.

Article 6—Accepted as read.

Article 7—Accepted as read.

Article 8—Motion made by Lucille Keeler to take this Article up item by item. Accepted as read excepting for a \$10.00 increase in item No. 17.

Article 9—Accepted as read.

A motion was made by Neil Andrews to reconsider Article 8 and was accepted.

A motion was made by Neil Andrews to add \$1,000.00 to budget item 25 making it \$3,000.00 and add \$1,000.00 to miscellaneous income. (accepted).

Article 10—Accepted as read.

Article 11—Accepted as read.

Article 1—Moderator elected — Carl A. Thunberg by 47 votes.

Article 2—Clerk elected — Charles H. Smith by 32 votes.

Article 3—Member of the School Board for the ensuing 3 years — Richard Stevens by 46 votes.

Article 4—Treasurer — John C. Malcolm by 50 votes.
Auditors—Sabin W. Guertin by 10 votes.
Malcolm Wilkins by 20 votes.

CHARLES SMITH,
School District Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board,
Parents and Voters:

This is the third year of operation of the new Central School in Canterbury. It has probably resulted in the people thinking in terms of the best education for the children of the entire town rather than the sectional feeling when five schools were operated.

The pupils have become better acquainted with the associations of the school and the playground, and there has been better educational competition than possible in small schools. The cooperation of the town library officials and the availability of more and better books have helped to make progress. There has been an improvement of transportation facilities and the bus schedules. The textbooks have been annually improved with basic books for all the grades rather than five schools operated like five separate towns.

The year just passed was marked by the first full year of the Sputnik era and the Space age of missiles and satellites with Russia and the United States engaged in world competition in the military, economic and social fields. The cold war has continued and it is daily more evident that Communism and Democracy are engaged in a struggle for survival, and we must see that our children are completely indoctrinated to the advantages of our American system of freedom and the disadvantages of the Russian slave system.

The educational picture in Canterbury and every other community is going to be affected in many ways, including:

- (1) The stiffening of the curricula in grade schools with more attention to mathematics, science, foreign languages, and an increase of guidance.

- (2) More attention to the education of the gifted child so that many pupils will go far beyond the requirements for grade school and high school graduation.
- (3) The improvement of the high school curricula, the canceling of easy courses, better discipline, the elimination of pupils interfering with the education of other children by laziness or school distractions, increase in home work from Grades 4-12 inclusive, and the higher academic and disciplinary standards of high school decreasing the number of graduates.
- (4) The school day being extended in time and every minute of the day devoted to school work, with extra-curricular activities such as athletics and picnics held on non-school time.

As time progresses, the following may be objectives of the people of Canterbury, although more state and federal aid are necessary before the ideas become realities:

- (1) A salary schedule for Canterbury teachers which will make possible the securing of the best teachers available when teaching vacancies develop.
- (2) The replacement of the old antiquated pupil seating with the excellent types of furniture bought in recent years.
- (3) A man teacher, when some vacancy exists, who can direct playground activities, assist with guidance, and discipline problems.
- (4) The development of a school lunch program with the proper equipment and facilities.
- (5) Facilities for science, industrial and home arts, and home economics.
- (6) Art instruction in all the grades.
- (7) A new television set to take advantage of the Educational Programs for schools from the State Television Station at the University of New Hampshire.

Tuition rates for the 1959-60 school year are as follows:

Belmont	\$340
Concord	385
Franklin	388
Laconia	404
Penacook	380
Pittsfield	340
Tilton-Northfield	350

1958-59 Canterbury Tuition Pupils

Grade	Concord	Penacook	Tilton	Belmont	Totals
*9	9	6	0	0	15
10	5	7	0	1	13
11	4	9	0	0	13
12	2	1	1	1	5
	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	20	23	1	2	46

1959-60 Prospective Canterbury Tuition Pupils

Grade	Concord	Penacook	Tilton	Belmont	Totals
9	6	4	0	1	11
10	8	7	0	0	15
11	4	7	0	1	12
12	4	8	0	0	12
	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	22	26	0	2	50

* Present gr. 8.

Tuition lists change by families moving in or out of town and pupils leaving school.

SCHOOL CALENDAR — 1959-60 SCHOOL YEAR**Supervisory Union No. 59****Belmont, Canterbury, Gilford, Gilmanton****Tilton-Northfield**

Schools open Tuesday, September 9, 1959.

Holiday, Columbus Day, Monday, October 12, 1959.

State Teachers' Convention, Manchester, N. H., October 15-16, 1959.

Holiday, Wednesday, November 11, 1959, Veterans' Day.

Thanksgiving Vacation — Schools close Wednesday, November 25, 1959.

Schools reopen Monday, November 30, 1959.

Christmas Vacation — Schools close Friday, December 23, 1959.

Schools reopen — Monday, January 4, 1960.

Winter Vacation — Schools close February 19, 1960.

Schools reopen Monday, February 29, 1960.

Spring Institute — April 9, 1960.

Spring Vacation — Schools close Friday, April 22, 1960.

Schools reopen Monday, May 2, 1960.

Schools close June 23, 1960 or earlier or later date to make a total of 180 days.

Subject to changes by local School Boards.

1958 Census Report and Projected Enrollments

Grade	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
1	*21	17	15	16	14	18	14
2	22	21	17	15	16	14	18
3	8	22	21	17	15	16	14
4	15	8	22	21	17	15	16
5	16	15	8	22	21	17	15
6	12	16	15	8	22	21	17
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total 1-6	94	99	98	99	105	101	94
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	18	12	16	15	8	22	21
8	10	18	12	16	15	8	22
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total 7-8	28	30	28	31	23	30	43
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	16	10	18	12	16	15	8
10	13	16	10	18	12	16	15
11	20	13	16	10	18	12	16
12	16	20	13	16	10	18	12
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total							
9-12	65	59	57	56	56	61	51
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grand							
Total	187	188	183	186	184	192	188

* December 19, 1958.

1958 Graduates of the Canterbury Elementary School

Mae Carol Bowler	Kenneth John Green
Elwin Robert Buskey	Judith Ellen Kinne
George Marshall Charlton	Michael Cushing Malcolm
Roger Huntley Comee	Sharon Elizabeth Moody
Charlotte Elsie Drew	Charles Rodney Rancour
William Robert Dunbar	Clayton Wentworth Rollins
Jon Smith Fifield	Jonathan Heath Ruggles
Richard Arthur Sargent	

Canterbury Teachers

Grades 4 and 5, Principal, Mrs. Frances Smith
 Grade 1, Mrs. Eleanor Reusser
 Grades 2 and 3, Mrs. Sarah Hill
 Grades 5 and 6, Mrs. Marjorie Bruner
 Grades 7 and 8, Mrs. Edith Croteau

Transportation

Mr. Lucien Hildreth, \$1000, annual salary.
 Mr. Ralph W. Keeler, Jr., \$1,260, annual salary.
 Spears Garage — bus rental, \$170 monthly.

Enrollments by Grades

Mrs. Eleanor Reusser	Grade 1	21
Mrs. Sarah Hill	Grade 2	22
"	Grade 3	8
Mrs. Frances Smith	Grade 4	16
"	Grade 5	7
Mrs. Marjorie Bruner	Grade 5	9
"	Grade 6	11
Mrs. Edith Croteau	Grade 7	18
"	Grade 8	12
Total		<hr/> 124

Report of School Insurance

Company	Policy No.	Expiration	Term	Amount	Rate	Premium	Property Insured
Manufacturers and Merchants Mutual Morrill & Everett	771167	April 2, 1959	1 yr.	\$60,000	\$0.913	\$439.00	New School Building
Manufacturers and Merchants Mutual Morrill & Everett	765380	Nov. 7, 1959	3 yrs.	4,000	2.46	85.43	Contents — New School Building
Fidelity & Casualty of New York Morrill & Everett	XP 258286	April 2, 1959	1 yr.	100/300,000 5/25,000	B. I. P. D.	65.21	School District Liability
Fidelity & Casualty of New York Morrill & Everett	C 271048	April 2, 1959	1 yr.	Statutory		66.85	Workmen's Compensation — Employees of School District
Fidelity & Casualty of New York Morrill & Everett	BM 163865	Oct. 15, 1959	3 yrs.	50,000		166.60	Boiler Explosion New School
Grange Mutual Ins. Co. Jackman and Lang	S 10949	April 15, 1959	3 yrs.	1,333	2.00	26.66	Center School Building
Grange Mutual Ins. Co. Jackman and Lang	S 17678	April 15, 1960	3 yrs.	1,333	2.00	26.66	Center School Building
Vermont Mutual Morrill & Everett	459581	April 15, 1961	3 yrs.	1,334	2.00	26.66	Center School Building
Peerless Ins. Co. Morrill & Everett	F 234542	July 1, 1959	1 yr.	10,000		40.00	Bond Treasurer School District

Canterbury Special Milk Program

Receipts

District General Fund	\$0.00
Other Receipts	1,146.40
Total Receipts	1,146.40
Cash on hand July 1, 1957	129.65
Grand Total	\$1,276.05

Payments

High School	\$0.00
Elementary	1,167.19
Other Payments	0.00
Total Payments	1,167.19
Cash on hand June 30, 1958	108.86
Grand Total	\$1,276.05

Tuition Pupils and Annual Rates 1958-59 Year

Belmont School District —

High School Tuition Rate — \$330 for 1958-59	Grade
Dow, Shirley	X
Dow, Marion	XII

Concord Union School District —

High School Tuition Rate — \$375 for 1958-59	Grade
Burt, Sandra J.	X — left 9-29-58
Comee, Jonathan D.	X

Comee, Roger	IX
Dickson, Richard A.	XI
Dunbar, William	IX
Emerson, David C.	XI
Fifield, Jon	IX
Fowler, Richard E.	X
Geiger, John W.	XI
Green, Kenneth	IX
Guertin, Sabin D.	X
Hildreth, Rebecca E.	XII
Johanson, Philip M.	X
Keeler, Ralph W., III	XI
Malcolm, Michael	IX
Moody, Sharon	IX
Rancour, Charles	IX
Rollins, Clayton	IX
Ruggles, Jonathan	IX moved to Concord 11-21-58
Wheeler, Janet E.	XII

Franklin School District —

High School Tuition Rate — \$345 for 1958-59

Grade

Greene, Georgia XII

Penacook Union School District —

High School Tuition Rate — \$350 for 1958-59

Grade

Brown, Russell	XII
Balch, Gloria	XI
Bowler, John	XI
Cross, Brian	XI
Fife, Peter	XI
Kinne, Robert	XI
Madden, Eleanor	XI — left 10-14-58.
Sargent, William	XI
Stevens, Barbara	XI
Stone, Donald	XI
Cochrane, Sandra	X
Drew, Gene	X
Gilmore, Thomas	X
Gilmore, Norman	X
Guertin, James	X
Rollins, Robert	X
Wooster, Dorothy	X
Bowler, Carol	IX

Buskey, Elwin	IX
Charlton, George	IX
Drew, Charlotte	IX
Kinne, Judith	IX
Sargent, Richard	IX

Tilton-Northfield School District —

High School Tuition Rate — \$340 for 1958-59

Grade

Young, Dorothy

XII

Appreciation

May I express my appreciation for the cooperation of Mrs. Lucille Keeler, Mr. Thomas Rudin and Mr. Richard Stevens of the Canterbury School Board. They have spent long hours in board meetings, studying policies, considering problems of the present and future, watching potential economies, checking for the best use of the taxpayer dollar for improved education of youngsters, and many days of their own time in improving the physical features of the building and erection of playground equipment.

May I again express my appreciation to the many individuals and organizations whose gifts and personal efforts have made this school possible. I wish to thank the Parent-Teacher Association, the Elkins Public Library Trustees, the Principal and teachers, and all who contributed to improve our schools.

H. G. Wells stated, "Human history becomes more and more a race between education and catastrophe." The people of Canterbury, by their devotion to better schools, are insuring that their children will not be left behind in the increased pace of education now and the future.

Cordially yours,

GORDON L. FOX,

Superintendent of Schools.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1958

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or stillborn	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1958												
Jan. 25	Concord	Don Aaron Lahar	M	L	W	Donald H. Lahar	Shirley M. Andrews	All	Canterbury	Field Represent.	Newport, Vt.	Rochester
Jan. 31	Concord	Richard A. Perry	M	L	W	David R. Perry	Elbra H. Defosses	White	Canterbury	Brezner Tannery	Peacock	New Hampton
Feb. 7	Concord	Matthew T. Blanchard	M	L	W	Marshall W. Gifford	Jane C. Hall	White	Canterbury	Public Relations	Buffalo, N. Y.	Keene
Feb. 28	Concord	Susan C. Fife	F	L	W	Clarence L. Fife	Gertrude E. Charles	White	Canterbury	Student	Philadelphia, Pa.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
Mar. 18	Concord	Barbara A. Booth	F	L	W	Donald W. Booth	Margaret E. Fife	White	Canterbury	Farmer	Canterbury	Peacock
Mar. 22	Concord	Sandra L. Munn	F	L	W	Avery U. Munn	Lois G. Pridin	White	Canterbury	Carpenter	Canada	Peacock
Mar. 27	Concord	Francis F. Dow, Jr.	M	L	W	Francis F. Dow	Edith L. Walls	White	Canterbury	Farmer	Colorado	Lowell, Vt.
May 23	Franklin	William G. Begg	M	L	W	Dort S. Begg	Mary A. Hollins	White	Canterbury	Farmer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
June 22	Concord	Mary C. Fife	F	L	W	Stuart D. Fife	Marcia Greenwood	White	Canterbury	Attorney	New York, N. Y.	Concord
Aug. 4	Concord	Mark D. Ruesswick	M	L	W	Douglas L. Ruesswick	Pamela A. Fife	White	Canterbury	Farmer	Salem, N. J.	Concord
Sept. 7	Concord	Peggy Sue Drew	F	L	W	Stanley L. Drew	Caroline Wonderly	White	Canterbury	Salesman	Concord	Arlington, Mass.
Sept. 13	Franklin	Carol S. Boutin	F	L	W	Paul L. Boutin	Dorothy L. Braley	White	Canterbury	Laborer	Lincoln	Kelleyville
Sept. 17	Concord	John P. Stohrer	M	L	W	John F. Stohrer	Doris E. Young	White	Canterbury	Farmer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Oct. 16	Concord	Margaret L. Jordan	F	L	W	William T. Jordan	Josephine P. Schmidt	White	Canterbury	Clerk	Concord	Hartford, Conn.
Oct. 19	Concord	Terry L. Colby	F	L	W	Richard A. Colby	Ruth D. Arthur	White	Canterbury	Farm Manager	Sutton	Newark, Ind.
Nov. 11	Concord	Steven W. Smith	M	L	W	Andrew D. Smith	Evelyn L. Hamel	White	Canterbury	Attendant	Manchester	Ware
Nov. 14	Concord	Bret Thomas Reynolds	M	L	W	Roy Bruce Reynolds	Betty Jean Judd	White	Canterbury	Evans Radio	Plymouth	Hanover
Nov. 16	Concord	Kathleen A. Frary	F	L	W	Donald A. Frary	Barbara Jean Paulson	White	Canterbury	Welder	Pittsburg	Darby, Pa.
Dec. 5	Concord		F	L	W		Ann M. Mercier	White	Canterbury	Clerk	Concord	Concord

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SABIN N. GUERTIN, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1958

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Marriage	Name, Residence & Official Stations of Persons by whom married
1958 June 14	Laconia	Howard Young, Jr.	Canterbury	22	W	Sponger	Woodsville	Howard Young	Bath		1	Rev. Ralph L. Murray Laconia
		Elnora F. Lane	Northfield	18	W	At Home	Franklin	Frances Whitehead	Quebec		1	
July 12	Tilton	Robert F. Morgan	Canterbury	18	W	Con. Worker	New Hampshire	Robert T. Lane	London		1	G. Staehly Hurst Tilton
		Betty J. Welcome	Northfield	15	W	At Home	New Hampshire	Evelyn M. Carter	Canada		1	
Aug. 23	Canterbury	Richard J. Lakin	Concord	19	W	U.S.A.F.	Massachusetts	Robert A. Morgan	New Hampshire		1	J. Lincoln Thomas Roseau
		Brenda P. Stone	Canterbury	18	W	At Home	New Hampshire	Jessie S. Downes	New Hampshire		1	
Oct. 17	Franklin	John R. Hunt	Canterbury	24	W	Cook	New Hampshire	Henry J. Welcome	New Hampshire		1	Rev. H. C. Abbott
		Noralee Covill	So. Alexandria	16	W	Fact. Worker	New Hampshire	Beatrice A. Sweeney	New Hampshire		1	
								Earl R. Lakin, Sr.	Massachusetts			
								Mary M. Byrne	Massachusetts			
								Philip K. Stone	Massachusetts			
								Marguerite M. Jordan	New Hampshire			
								Frank H. Hunt	Unknown			
								Florence E. Pierce	Connecticut			
								Garland G. Covill	New Hampshire			
								Leona A. Day	New Hampshire			

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SABIN N. GUERTIN, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1958

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Mar., Wid.	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days						Father	Mother		
1958														
Jan. 30	Concord	Rebecca Hathaway	85			Providence, R. I.	F	W	W	At Home			Henry B. Hathaway	Susan E. Brewster
Feb. 7	Concord	Gifford	38	Min.			F	W	W				Marshall W. Gifford	Jane Hall
Feb. 19	Concord	Fred S. Kinn	77			Boston, Mass.	M	W	S	Farmer			Henry Kinn	Ennice Seavey
July 16	Boscawen	William C. Tallman	93			Craftsbury, Vt.	M	W	W	Laborer			Riley S. Tallman	Mary Thompson
Oct. 18	Canterbury	Lillian H. Gilman	64			Canterbury	F	W	M	Housewife			Orville R. Hanaford	Jessie A. Foote

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SABIN N. GUERTIN, Town Clerk.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO CANTERBURY ZONING AND BUILDING ORDINANCE

Amendment A

Article II. Change heading to "General Regulations for all Zones."

Article II, Section 1. Strike out the words "Zone A and B" and substitute the words "any zone" in the second line of said section.

Add in Section 1 after the words "value of nearby properties" the words "or is not contrary to the best interests of the community as a whole."

The Section as amended would read:

"Section 1. Commercial or industrial use of property is permitted in any zone with authorization by the Board of Adjustment, except that authorization need not be obtained for sale of agricultural products produced on the premises or for uses permitted in Zone C under Article V, Section 1. This is intended to permit commercial or industrial use which will not, due to noise, odor, appearance or fire hazard, damage the value of nearby properties or is not contrary to the best interests of the community as a whole."

Amendment B

Article II. Insert new Section 3 as follows, and renumber remaining sections accordingly.

Section 3. No trailer or mobile home may be occupied as a dwelling for a period of more than thirty days without first obtaining a permit and unless such trailer or mobile home conforms to all the general and specific regulations applicable to the zone in which it is located, excepting Sections 3, 4 and 6 of Article III.

Amendment C

Article II Section 3 (New Section 4). Strike out the words "or alteration," and substitute the words "alteration or emplacement."

The section as amended would read:

Section 4. The Board of Selectmen shall be the administrative authority to issue permits for the erection, alteration or emplacement of buildings or structures.

Amendment D

Article III, Section 3. Strike out the existing section in its entirety and replace with the following:

"Section 3. Except for windows and bulkheads, foundations shall be solid and continuous and shall be constructed of concrete, brick, concrete block or mortared stone and shall extend down to solid rock or to thirty-six inches below grade, whichever is less, and foundations shall be completed prior to placing any sills, floors or bearing walls.

Amendment E

Insert the following as new Article V and renumber existing Articles V through XII accordingly.

Article V. Rural Zone (Zone C).

The provisions of Zone A shall be applicable to Zone C except in the following respects:

Section 1. Quarrying and gravel or sand pit operations may be carried on without authorization by the Board of Adjustment.

Section 2. The Administrative Authority may waive the requirement of a building permit for lumber camps or hunting camps not intended for continuous use as a dwelling and not so used for more than one hundred and fifty days each year. Such buildings need not conform to the building requirements of this ordinance."

Amendment F

Article V (New Article VI) Section 2, Paragraph b. Strike out the words "The Board of Adjustment may after public hearing allow commercial or industrial uses in Zone A."

Add the following as new Section 3:

Section 3. On application made to the Board of Adjustment to allow commercial or industrial uses or any variances in any zone, the Board of Adjustment shall:

a. Within thirty days hold a public hearing on the application, and notice of such hearing shall be posted for seven days prior thereto in the Canterbury Post Office and shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the community.

b. Within seven days after such public hearing, grant such permission unless, in its judgment, such use or variance will damage the value of nearby properties due to noise, odor, appearance, or fire hazard or is deemed contrary to the best interests of the community as a whole.

Amendment G

Strike out the old Article VIII and substitute the following (Underlined words are new):

Article IX. Nonconforming Use.

Section 1. Any nonconforming use, other than those specified in Section 2 below, may continue in their present use except that any nonconforming use or buildings may not be

- a. changed to another nonconforming use;
- b. Re-established after discontinuance for one year except to a use conforming to the zone in which it is located;
- c. Extended;
- d. Rebuilt after damage exceeding 50% of its value unless it is made to conform to the requirements of the zone in which it is located.

Section 2. Same as old paragraph B.

Section. 3. Any nonconforming building barred from further use under Article IX, Section 1, may be made to conform if a building permit is issued by the Administrative Authority for the necessary building alterations and such alterations are completed within three years from the date of issuance of the permit.

